

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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<b>Mireille MAUBRU et al.</b>	)	Group Art Unit: 1615
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Application No.: 10/796,082	)	Examiner: Jyothsna A. VENKAT
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Filed: March 10, 2004	)	
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For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS	)	Confirmation No.: 2687
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE	)	
CROSSLINKED COPOLYMER,	)	
AT LEAST ONE INSOLUBLE	)	
MINERAL PARTICLE AND AT	)	
LEAST ONE POLYMER, AND	)	
USES THEREOF	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the final Office Action mailed July 2, 2008, and the Advisory Action mailed September 22, 2008, the period for response having been extended to December 2, 2008, by a request for extension of two months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following. This Amendment is filed together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fulfills the requirements of a "submission" under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.